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Dear Harvey Shelton,

Separately we are sending you all four of our books. I am looking forward to hearing the Lane tape so I can avoid the same topics. I'd also just like to hear it.

You asked for a few suggestions on whatkwe might go into, to start it off. Because I am the only one to have done personal New Orleans investigations and to have done a book on that subject, why not start with that. We can go into some of the

Evidance
- suppressed
- avoided
- misrepresented
- available and unsought
- now permanently lost

Indications of federal involvement
- Oswald as federal agent
  - non-investigation of
    - false pretense about
- suppressions
- misrepresentations

Sytate of Shaw trial
- why delayed and by whom
- consequences
  - on Garrison and his case
  - on Shaw and his personal position and rights

Effects of fictitious solution
- government's integrity
- societies intergity

Consequences
- coup d'etat
  - immediate policy changes
    - Viet Nam
    - Dominican Republic
- continued high-level spending for waste, continued emphasis on military solutions when they cannot work

Now, we can go into any aspect of the case you want, save I'd like to avoid comment on Shaw and Thornley because their are under indictment. However, because he and a friend of his have undertaken to assassil me in a west-coast hippie paper, I shall have to respond to any attacks by his friends.

Generally speak, people tend to discuss and discuss the things they know or have heard of. Often it is possible to discuss what they do not know. Where it is possible I'd like to give your listeners some of these things. One of these has to do with the destroyed, misrepresented and avoided photographic evidence, about which I have written a book that is little known.

Looking forward to it. Many thanks.

Sincerely,
Harold Weisberg